



# Committee On Finance

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### **Baucus Announces Subcommittee Hearing on the Andean Trade Preferences Act**

Hearing: The Andean Trade Preferences Act  
Date/Time: August 3, 2001, at 10:00 a.m.  
Location: 215 Dirksen Senate Office Building

Description: The Subcommittee on International Trade of the Committee on Finance will hold a hearing on The Andean Trade Preferences Act, which is due to expire on December 4<sup>th</sup> of this year.

#### **Witness List**

**Peter Allgeier**, Deputy U.S. Trade Representative, Washington, DC;

**Rick Harrah**, President, Latin American Division, Dole Food Co., Inc., Miami, FL;

**Mr. Carlos Moore**, Executive Vice President, American Textile Manufacturers Institute, Washington, DC;

**Mr. Paul Arcia**, President, ARC International, Miami, FL;

**Mr. William Snape, III**, Vice President for Law, Defenders of Wildlife, Washington, DC;

**Mr. K. Ward Rodgers**, General Manager (Retired), Heinz North America, Pittsburgh, PA.

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Written Statements: Any individuals or organizations wanting to present their views on these hearings to the Committee are urged to submit a typewritten, single-spaced, single-sided statement, not exceeding 10 pages in length, for inclusion in the hearing record. The date and subject of the hearing must appear on the first page of the statement. Five copies of the statement should be mailed to the Editorial Section, United States Senate, Committee on Finance, Washington, D.C. 20510, and also to Kolan Davis, Minority Staff Director, United States Senate, Committee on Finance, 219 Dirksen Senate Office Building, Washington, D.C. 20510. Statements must be received no later than noon on Friday, August 17, 2001. Written statements must also be submitted on diskette in a format that can be read by personal computers (Wordperfect text is preferred; other formats will be accepted -- please identify format).